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Weather—Partly cloudy today and tomorrow; not much change in temperature; gentle, variable winds.

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BIG CLASS FOR ODD FELLOWS

Three Hundred To Be Initiated Here October 20.

FROM ELEVEN LODGES

Preliminary Plans Completed Last Night At Meeting of Representatives From Various Lodges.

Eleven lodges of Odd Fellows in this district will participate in a big class initiation to be held in the opera house in this city the night of October 20. Preliminary plans for the big initiation were mapped out last night nat a meeting of representatives of the various lodges held in Odd Fellows' Hall. On this occasion a class of at least 300 candidates from the various participating lodges will receive the first, second and third degrees of the order.

For this event the district committee at its meeting last night was organized with the election of these officers: Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, Alexandria, president; H. E. Allen, Accotink, first vice president; C. Eugene Doyle, Clarendon, second vice president; W. W. Huntington, Alexandria secretary; W. C. Cunningham, Alexandria, treasurer.

The following degree committee was appointed: W. L. Martin, Alexandria, chairman; W. F. Haverty, Falls Church; C. E. Doyle, Clarendon.

Press committee: D. R. Stansbury, Alexandria, chairman; George W. Hauxhurst, Falls Church; E. L. Bennett, Arlington; Kenneth Dove, Accotink; W. R. Studds, Alexandria; H. E. Arnold, Alexandria; James Luck, Loudoun; J. M. Keys, Dumfries; M. S. Lambert, Accotink; Harry Keller, Lovettsville; W. C. Hall, Leesburg; J. W. Mayhew, Lorton.

The eleven lodges that will take part in the degree work are as follows: Potomac and Sarepta, Alexandria; Arlington, Arlington; Falls Church, Falls Church; Accotink, Accotink; Crescent, Lorton; R. E. Lee, Dumfries; Hyland, Independent Hill, Prince William County; Loudoun, Leesburg; Prince William, Manassas; Lovettsville, Lovettsville, Loudoun County.

U.S. NOTE PACIFIES

Panama-Costa Rica War Averted.

Panama, Aug. 24.—The threatened war between Panama and Costa Rica over disputed territory has been averted The Panaman government has given in to the United States and it was declared today that there was little likelihood of an armed clash.

Following the receipt of a message from the American State Department that the United States will not allow hostilities to take place between Panama and Costa Rico. President Porras ordered the armed policemen to retire rfom Costo and to make no resistance against occupation of Costa Rican troops. The civilian population had previously been ordered to retire along with all local Panaman officials.

No attempt will be made to defend the disputed territory against entry by Costa Ricans it was announced.

The firm attitude of the United States according to officials of the Panama government makes it possible for this republic to place all the blame upon Washington for its back down. It was said that this would clear the political atmosphere in this country to a large extent.

The populace at large has remained calm and there was no evidence today that anti-American feeling was increasing.

A note has been drawn up in answer to the latest communication from Secretary of State Hughes forbidding hostilities and it was expected that it would be on the way to Washington before night.

Police Commissioners Meet At 7:30 Tonight.

The first meeting of the board of police commissioners since that body adjourned for the summer will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the office of Mayor J. M. Duncan. A number of matters of importance, it is stated, will be presented for consideration.

MAY DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP

Baptists Against M. E. South Sunday School.

The game that will in all probability decide the winner of the Alexandria Sunday School Baseball League will be played at Baggett lot this evening, the active participants being the Southern Methodists and the First Baptists.

The Baptists are leading the league at the present time, being one game in the lead of the Methodists, who have won the last few games they have played, practically outdistancing all the other teams with the exception of the leaders. Tonight's game will leave one game to be played between the Methodists and Baptists, this being a postponed game. The league season will close about the middle of September.

CITY WINS SUIT

Mrs. Burton Sought To Recover Damages In the Sum of $10,000.

The city of Alexandria was victorious in the suit heard yesterday in the corporation court before Judge Robinson Moncure of Mrs. Daisy Datona Burton who sought to recover damages in the sum of $10,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained June 7, last, when she fell over a large rock on the east side of Fairfax between Wolfe and Wilkes streets. The jury was out about thirty-five minutes, the verdict being brought in about 5 o'clock. John L. Prosise was foreman. The jury was from Arlington county. A motion to set aside the verdict and for a new trial made by Attorney R. W. Stump for the plaintiff was overruled. Corporation Attorney H. Noel Garner represented the city.

Rites for W. W. Ballenger.

Buried This Afternoon With Masonic Honors.

Funeral services for Alderman William Walters Ballenger, who died Monday morning, were held this afternoon at his late residence, 305 Cameron street, and attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends of the deceased. The officiating minister was Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church and burial was in Bethel cemetery.

Members of Andrew Jackson lodge No. 120, Masons, conducted services at the grave, Alderman C. C. Batcheller, senior warden of Andrew Jackson lodge, officiating. An escort of members of Old Dominion commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, marched beside the hearse. In addition to the members of Andrew Jackson lodge of Masons, delegations from Old Dominion commandery, Knights Teplar and Mt. Vernon chapter No. 14, Royal Arch Masons, attended.

The city hall bell was tolled as the funeral procession moved to the cemetery.

The active pallbearers: W. E. Burrell, G. W. Zachary, J. B. Williams, M. L. Price, Edgar Warfield, Jr., and S. D. Forbes.

The honorary pallbearers were: F. F. Marbury, president of the board of aldermen; Aldermen John T. Harrison, Maurice Wilkins, E. M. Anderson, C. J. W. Summers and George H. Robinson.

Smallest Value Coin Is Shown At Boston.

Boston, Aug. 24.—Obsolete and rare coins, some of which bore dates hundreds of years before Christ, were included in an exhibition of the American Numismatic Society, which opened its annual convention here today. Members from thirty-eight States and a dozen European and South American countries are here for the meetings.

What was said to be the oldest coin in the United States and of the smallest value ever issued was shown by a Southern collector. It was a "mite," with a face value of one-fifteenth of an American cent, and was coined in 700, B. C., at Aegina.

STRIKES BUGGY, FINE $10

A jitney driver was charged in the police court today with colliding with a buggy driven by M. L. Price at King and Alfred streets yesterday afternoon. Mr. Price explained that the defendant failed to stop. The driver of the machine said he had no recollection of his machine striking Mr. Price's buggy. A fine of $10 was imposed by Judge Snow. The man was arrested on a warrant by Policeman Lawrence Padgett.

REPORTED DEAD 3 TIMES ARRESTED FOR BEING ALIVE

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Because the War Risk Insurance Bureau did not hear until last week that he was alive, Oscar L. Withers, who fought in the Argonne and was three times reported dead, was arrested last night on a charge of defrauding the Government.

Besides being reported dead three times, Withers was wounded 28 times and cited seven times for valor in action. He was arraigned today before Commissioner Glass. His bond was fixed at $1,000.

The former soldier denies the charges of the Government and contends that he is not responsible because the Government paid over his war risk insurance to his mother, Mrs. Sarah Bressler, of St. Louis.

"When I was discharged at Camp Dodge two years ago," said Withers, "I went home and learned that my mother was getting insurance money. Of course, I was surprised to hear that I was supposed to be dead, but I told her not to accept any more of the payments."

Withers has been married only a month. He was forced to spend the night in jail. Officers at the detective bureau where he was confined made up a small purse so he could avoid faring on the jail menu.

STATE NEWS

Roanoke.—Prisoners in the local jail were Saturday night given a treat in the shape of a watermelon feast. City Sergeant H. E. Mayhew issued 30 watermelons to the inmates, who created the general impression that watermelon is a delicacy that they have the greatest liking for.

Fredericksburg.—C. W. Bourne, game warden of Stafford County, was at Potomac Creek when he saw a flock of young partridges, twenty in number, attempt to fly across. They fell in the fater, and Mr. Bourne went after them in a boat and brought them to land, where he liberated them.

Richmond.—Senator Julien Gunn, of Henrico, did not speed nearly so much cash in his race for lieutenant governor that some of the candidates reported. His statement filed today showing that in his fight to gain the honor he disposed of $3,274.92.

Norfolk.—Two Norfolk policemen, W. H. Dalby and R. E. Long, left their beats, it is alleged, to participate in a crap game, which was raided by other policemen, Sunday morning. The two officers were suspended by Police Chief Borland, pending their trial before the Board of Police Commissioners.

Fredericksburg.—At a meeting of the school trustees electorial board of King George County, held at King George court house, three new school trustees were elected as follows: Robert A. Bullard, of Potomac district; Mrs. Henry Mason, of Rappahannock district; Mrs. Ernest L. Payne, of Shiloh district. This is the first time women have been chosen as members of the board.

Roanoke.—Persons who entered the primary of August 2 to select the nominees of the Democratic party to be voted for at the general election November 8, 1921. are pledged to support all the nominees of the party including the nominees for city offices, whose names did not appear on the primary ballot, according to a resolution passed by the city Democratic executive committee at a meeting held last night in the law and chancery court room of the Municipal building.

Lexington.—The "big noise" has commenced in Lexington, because the town is full of fire-fighters, here for the opening tomorrow of the Virginia State Firemen's Convention. Representatives are here and coming tomorrow from all parts of the State, from the Valley, from Tidewater, from Piedmont, jolly, beauty specimens, with abundance of spirit, off for a good time, and the exploitation of Virginia volunteer firemen.

Richmond.—It developed today that Governor Davis has no authority over the action of the board of visitors of the V. M. I. in dismissing Col. Robert T. Kerlin of the department of English from the faculty because of his "general activities in inter-racial matters." The law gives the board full power to deal with the professors as it sees fit. However, it directs that all reports dealing with such matters be forwarded to the governor for his perusal. The impression here was that the governor had the power of approval of disapproval.

Danville.—J. Murray Hooker has announced that he will be a candidate for the vacancy in congress from the Fifth Congressional district. He is the third man to enter the race, the others being Thomas G. Burch, of Henry county, and Joseph Whitehead, of Pittsylvania. Mr. Hooker for years has been leader of the party in Patrick. He was commonwealth's attorney for some years and represented Patrick in the constitutional convention in 1901. He is a member of the state Democratic committee and for some years had a large law practice in his native country.

Norfolk.—Norfolk may become the headquarters for a wholesale rose-growing industry to supply roses to all parts of the country. The Breck-Robinson company, of Lexington, Mass., one of the largest florist concerns in the country, has been experimenting with roses on ten acres at the city home this year. The land was leased from the city through the department of public welfare. The experiment was so successful that the company has asked for the lease of an additional plot of ground to continue the work.

Norfolk.—The women of Norfolk are up in arms about the market in that city. They want a new one and they want it on the site of the present one. The Norfolk Housewives' League will appoint a committee of 25 to join a committee of the Norfolk branch of League of Women Voters to appear before the city council to urge the women's demands on the city fathers. The women say they are determined in making this demand to lay stress upon their rights as voters ever more than upon the fact that it is the women of the city who do the marketing. In other words, they are not asking so much as demanding the market reconstruction.

Danville.—The police are holding on warrants charging trespass, C. J. Kei-

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RAIL UNION MAY STRIKE

409,000 Men Will Vote—Ballots Prepared By Leaders.

DECISION MONTH OFF

Unsatisfactory Negotiations With Managers Cause of Move—Ballots Out Before September 1.

Cleveland, Aug.—Strike ballots for submission to 409,000 members of the "Big Four" railroad brotherhoods and the Switchmen's Union of North America were being prepared at a joint conference here today of members of the executive committees, chief executives and assistant grand officers of the five organizations.

When the conference adjourned late today the form of the ballot had not been definitely decided on. The conference will be resumed tomorrow morning.

In its present shape the ballot tells the union members of the unsatisfactory negotiations held in the last few months between brotherhood chiefs and railroad managers at conferences held in the West, Southeast and East as to whether the railroads intended to ask for further decreased wages, following the 12 1-2 per cent reduction handed down by the Railroad Labor Board at Chicago, June 1, and now in effect; whether the roads would seek the elimination of time and one-half for overtime and asks if the members are satisfied to continue work under these conditions.

Executives of the Southwestern roads did not meet with the chiefs.

Chief executives of the five organizations have been in conference here for several days on the situation and today were joined by three members of the executive board of each of the five organizations and several assistant grand officers, about 25 men in all.

Ballots will be sent to 150,000 active members of the trainmen's organization, 115,000 firemen, 80,000 engineers, 50,000 conductors and 14,000 switchmen.

Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Firemen and Enginemen; L. E. Sheppard, president of the Order of Railway Conductors; James Murdock, vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and acting president in the absence, through illness, of President W. G. Lee, and Thomas Cashin, president of the Switchmen's Union of North America, were the chief executives

Month Will Be Needed.

When the ballot is completed, probably within a day or two, it will be sent to the active membership of the five organizations and a referendum vote taken. It was estimated that it will take a full month or more to complete the vote. The ballots for the reerendum must be sent out to the members before September 1 under terms of a resolution adopted at a conference in Chicago July 1 of the general chairmen of the organization.

BAND CONCERT

Affair To Be Given Friday Night In Christ Church Yard.

Once more Christ Church yard will be opened to the public to enjoy another band concert. Those who were here during the war period will remember how the bands from Quantico and Camp Humphreys were welcomed and the citizens are proud to welcome the Alexandria band composed of our own local talent. The program will appear later and on Friday night August 26th, at 8 o'clock the band will generously contribute its fine music to the public.

Ice cream, candy, cake and lemonade will be sold, the profits to be divided between the Sunday school and the Silver Star club. Those who desire seats can go in the parish hall and a cordial welcome is extended to everyone.

DIRIGIBLE EXPLODES

American Balloon Falls Into River After Being Wrecked on Trial Trip.

London, Aug. 24.—The great dirigible ZR-2, which began a trial flight on Tuesday morning, was wrecked by an explosion this afternoon and fell into the Humbers river.

The dirigible had been in the air nearly thirty-five hours following her ascent from Howden, and was apparently prepared to go to Pulham for a landing when the calamity occurred.

Following the explosion a sheet of flame leaped upward from the balloon and she was on fire when she fell.

Three parachusetts were seen to leave the airship but experienced airmen said that they would carry only a fraction of the large number of persons on board.

The cause of the accident was not known up to 6:30 o'clock, although officials of the British air ministry were making frantic efforts to get all the details.

Advices from Pulham said that the dirigible was evidently a wreck.

VETS TO HOLD REUNION

Alexandrians In 29th Division To Attend Baltimore Gathering.

The first reunion of the 29th division, the Blue and Gray, will be held in Baltimore August 31 to September 5, inclusive, and a number of Alexandrians who served with that division in the 116th Infantry are planning to attend.

The reunion will be held in connection with "Buddie Week," and the 29th Division Association has issued a pamphlet detailing the plans for "Buddie Week" and outlining an elaborate program of entertainment. The invitation to the reunion is issued by H. J. Lepper, secretary of the 29th Division Association, Continental Building, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Wilson Entertains.

Ladies of Anne Lee Memorial Given Delightful Outing At Hollin Hall.

The ladies of the Anne Lee Memorial were beautifully entertained on Tuesday by Mrs. H. P. Wilson, first vice president of the Board of Governors, at her home, Hollin Hall, Fairfax County. Two autos were sent for them at 11 o'clock. A bountiful dinner was served at 1 o'clock and a long happy afternoon spent in going over the lovely hours and grounds. At 5 o'clock they returned home, feeling as one of the ladies expressed it, as though they had "stored up a life time of happy memories," and the day had marked a "white stone" day in the lives of all. Both Mrs. Wilson and her sister, Miss Dike, were untiring in their efforts to make the outing a delightful experience.

Bloodhound Tied Up By Convict It Caught

Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 24.—Jim Nesbit, negro, turned a novel trick on the ferocious bloodhound sent out to trail him, but was captured nevertheless.

Serving a life sentence for murder on the chain-gang. Nesbit escaped yesterday. A bloodhound was set on his trail. The negro waited until the dog caught up, tied the animal to a tree and continued his flight. He was captured later, however. Bloodhounds in real life are not as ferocious as in "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Dog experts know that they seldom bite and are of value only for their powers of scent.

Rich Drug and Jewelry Seizure Made On U. S. Shipping Board Vessel.

New York, Aug. 24.—Drugs, jewelry and merchandise valued at $20,000 were seized abroad the Shipping Board steamship Fort Armstrong today by customs inspectors.

They arrested Robert Lovelace, of Newark, N. J., chief engineer, who was charged with having cocaine in his possession. Eighteen phials of the drug were found in a bandolier, hidden in a bulkhead of the chief engineer's cabin, the officials said, and two in his pocket.

Among the confiscated property were rare laces, lace wraps, table covers, scarfs, doilies and three spoons which the inspectors said "bore evidence of having been used by the Royal family of Russia."

President Notifies Envoy To Sign Pact.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24.—President Harding today laid before the Republican members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee the proposed treaty of peace with Germany. The treaty received their unanimous approval, the White House stated.

Senators who attended the conference, in which Secretary of State Hughes participated, said that the terms of the treaty had been explained to them, but that all statements as to the contents of the treaty and its statute must come from the President or the Secretary of State.

The treaty is complete and there will be no preliminary treaty or protocol as has been suggested, the President informed the Senators.

No suggestion is made in the treaty that Germany should assume responsibility for the war, it was learned.

The treaty is comparatively short and it is understood that it is not more than 2,000 words in length.

The treaty, it was learned, recognizes all of the rights established for the United States under the Versailles treaty, even though this nation has not ratified that pact. All property and other rights which the United States assumed under the Versailles pact are protected in the treaty now about to be signed, although there is express provisions that the United States assumes some of the responsibilities of the Vervailles treaty.

DROP SAILING PERMITS.

New York, Aug. 24.—Customs officials acting on instructions from the Treasury Department today abandoned the issuance of sailing permits to citizens embarking for foreign ports. The order ended long waits in line, to which prospective tourists had been subjected.

Sailing permits will be required as heretofore, however, of all aliens leaving the country.

GANG'S THEFT $10,000,000

$6,000,000 of Stolen Bonds and $3,000,000 In Worthless Notes Traced.

SCHEME IS BARED

Names of Many Firms In Middle West Found On Securities—$500,000 In Notes Missing.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Millions of dollars of worthless notes, stolen bonds, fraudulent deeds of trust and forged certificates of deposit have been flung on the markets of the country. Federal agents declared today after investigating operations of a band alleged to have been headed by Charles W. French and John W. Worthington.

Banks, bond houses, investment security brokers and wealthy business men from coast to coast were declared to have been the victims of dupes of one of the most gigantic swindles ever unearthed by Federal agents.

Stolen Londs worth $6,000,000, nearly $3,000,000 in worthless notes and hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of trust deeds and forged certificates of deposit have been traced by Department of Justice agents, it was declared.

The revelations resulted from a confession accredited to Alva W. Harshman, who was declared to have been a private secretary to French and who surrendered today. He was alleged to have told of a deal negotiated by French for the purchase of a bank in the Middle West that involved the exchange of $800,000.

A Washington (D. C.) man according to Harshman, was to obtain certified checks for $500,000 there. These checks, he said, were to be presented to the bank owners and when the band gained control of the establishment thy were to cash all certificates of deposit the bank owned. The money, he said, would then be forwarded to the Washington man, who would deposit it before the certified checks on the original transaction were cleared and returned. Many other similar deals were also described.

In another case, it was asserted, a large amount of stolen securities were placed with a small country bank in return for a certificate of deposit. The deposit slip, it was said, was cashed, and the bank left holding the securities which would be identified and reclaimed when it tried to realize on them.

Among names of the firms alleged to have been signed to notes used by the bank were Curtis Printing Company, Akron, Ohio, $90,000; Mackey Truck Company, Akron, $18,000; Porcupine Mountain Lumber Company, Cleveland, $10,000; Portage Market, Akron, $21,000; Heninger Plumbing Supply Company, Akron, $25,000; Schwartzer Wrecking Company, Dayton, Ohio, $100,000; Midwest Automobile Sales Company, Dayton, $50,000; Dayton Financing Company, Dayton, $300,000; Z. W Davis, Canton, Ohio, $500,000; Apple Financing Company, $300,000; American Rubber Company, Chicago, $85,000; H. M. Strong Metal Products Company, Cleveland, $6,000; Cleveland Home Manufacturing Company, $15,000; George B. Wickens, Loraine, Ohio, $103,000, and the Portage Packing Company, Akron, $31,000.

In addition about $500,000 in notes supposed to have been signed by the American Rubber Company have not been found. The total notes known to have been issued was put at $1,602,000 by Federal officials today.

It was also revealed that the band was operating in Kansas City. According to John V. Clinnin, acting district attorney, all of the notes issued by the band were disposed of by the Securities Company of Kansas City.

According to the alleged confession made by Harshman, the band made considerable money disposing of real estate mortgages.

Another deal said to have been made in Milwaukee by the band is being investigated by Government agents. It was declared to have netted the swindlers $500,000. It was said that A. E. Strelzin, who was arrested today in Milwaukee, will be questioned regarding the transaction.

Worthington was arrested some weeks ago and is being held in $100,000 bonds in connection with mail robberies totaling approximately $6,000,000. French, alleged to be his right-hand man, was arrested yesterday with several of his associates. Today C. K. Strobel was taken into custody in Akron, Ohio, and A. E. Strelzin was arrested in Milwaukee.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 24.—Col. William L. Haskell, former commander of 69th regiment in the world war, is going to be the man in charge of relief in Russia.

Colonel Haskell, who made a record in the war, was the man chosen by Secretary Hoover to produce in Rumania the American assistance which the United States says shall be paramount to coon anything which the Soviets shall have or against the introduction of American ideas into revolutionary Russia.

"There may be no flags of the various nations displayed during this relief work," said Col. Haskell today, "but if the 'Old Glory' is there the American forces in charge of relief work will attend to any force from Russia which the civilian population might want to interrogate as the matter of demonstration against America.

To Sell Wooden Ships.

Apparently the time is not far distant when the famous fleet of wooden merchant ships that have been like so many elephants on the hands of the Shipping Board will be taken away from their morrings in James river and scattered broadcast. The Board is about to complete negotiations for the sale of more than 200 of these boats. Fifty of them, at the request of President Harding, have been set aside for a pontoon bridge across the Hudson river from Yonkers, N. Y., to Alpine, bidders and the remainder, about 200 to a New York concern. They have cost the Board a million dollars a year for upkeep and will be no loss.

President Indorses Va. Roads.

President Harding has endorsed every proposition which Virginia, backed by its Senators and Representatives, has put forward for the coimprovement of the roads of the state. Senators Swanson and Glass have been advocating the good roads bill, endorsed by the State Roads Association and introduced by Senator Townsend of Michigan. The principal argument for good roads in Virginia hinged on the passage of the Townsend bill.

"The highways and the byways of Virginia should be improved," said Senator Townsend. "I have travelled through Virginia in most of its counties and over most of the highways. The sooner the commonwealth does its part to cooperate with the Federal authorities the better the transportation facilities throughout the Old Dominion will be."

Armistice Anniversary Nov. 11.

November 11, which will be the third anniversary of the Armistice which ended the fighting in the world war, will be one of the biggest days Washington has ever known. Not only will the conference on limitation of armaments begin its sessions on that, with delegations from five foreign powers, and innumerable experts and assistants, but the body of an unknown American soldier from the battlefields of France will be buried with impressive ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery. President Harding will speak at the arament conference and again at Arlington.

Put another event will make the day forever memorable. Marshall Foch, generalissimo of the Allied and American armies in the great war, will be on hand as the guest of the American Legion and of the American nation.

Whole hotels and apartment houses are likely to be rented by some of the foreign delegations. Washington's accommodations will be taxed to the utmost, and many of the visitors will probably overflow into Alexandria and nearby cities at least for visits to the many historic spots.

May Cut "Dry" Department.

Liquor law enforcement in the State of Virginia may undergo adverse changes, as a result of the apparent determination of the Budget Bureau, created by the President, to force a reduction in expenses already allowed by Congress for national prohibition enforcement.

Assistant Secretary Gilbert of the Treasury, budget officer for the Treasury on the staff of General Dawes, now is making a minute survey of the needs of the prohibitin enforcement organization. It is stated that he will order sharp cuts in the spending of this branch. Reductions in expenses have been ordered all along the line. Prohibition enforcement must accept its share of the cuts.

SEA RACING ON MATTRASSES IS LATEST FAD OF SOCIETY

Newport, R. I., Aug. 24.—Aquatic sports at Bailey's Beach have been one of the popular diversions of society this summer but the most novel to come will be on Saturday when men and women will have races on floating matresses.

This event was arranged by Mr. James Bret Stokes and suitable prizes will be offered by some of the stockholders. It is the first event of its kind ever held at Newport.

Those participating will be given a mattress and they must paddle it for the course of 66 yards.

There will be another match arranged between the winners of the men and the women.

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TODAY'S THOUGHT **The constitution owes more to Chief Justice Marshall than to any other single mind for its true interpretation and vindication.**
Justice Story.

FIGURES CORRECT

Some weeks ago we called attention to the figures contained in an advertisement of the Washington-Virginia Railway Co., as to the amounts paid out by it in Alexandria for wages and merchandise. We stated frankly that we thought an error had been made, but that we hoped the figures were correct. We also stated that we wished to be fair to the Company, having no animus in the matter except that of fair play as far as the people were concerned.

The Railway Company has since that date exhibited to us a detailed statement, such as we called for, and has satisfied us that the figures given in its advertisements and circulars are substantially correct. We have seen the list of names and employment of its employees in Alexandria and its suburbs, and counted more than one hundred and fifty whose combined wages amount to over $150,000 per annum. We also satisfied ourselves that the amount specified for merchandise is substantially correct, to-wit, $12,559.03.

The Company states that more merchandise would be purchased in Alexandria on terms similar to those obtained elsewhere. We state this for the benefit of our merchants, and suggest that they look into the matter further.

The Gazette's main contention all along has been for reduced fares, deeming the recent raise an unjust hardship upon the commuters and traveling public. When the Washington-Virginia Railway Company can see its way to accomplish this, the Gazette will feel that a long step has been taken towards reinstating the Company in the good graces of the people. The interests of both are identical, if looked at in the proper light, and this has been the viewpoint of this paper from the beginning.

A BENEFIT TO ALEXANDRIA

The Disarmament Conference in Washington, scheduled to take place in November, will augment the thousands of visitors to that city almost if not quite equal to war figures. Cannot Alexandria derive more than usual benefit from this overwhelming influx of population? It would seem that some organized effort here might result in bringing hundreds if not thousands of people to make this city their home during the months the Conference may be in session. Apartments, boarding houses and hotels, if organized, and working through committees and representatives could arrange with Washington hotels and rooming houses to send the overflow here. This would mean the spending of additional thousands of dollars among our merchants, and benefit the city to an untold degree. Advertisements in the Washington papers at the proper time, would be entirely opportune and produce gratifying results, we have no doubt. The joint efforts of all interested, concentrated upon the single endeavor of inducing immigration would be certain to be effective. Alexandria, besides, would receive a potent publicity powerful for future good. It would not be too early to begin in September, as it will require several weeks to prepare plans and perfect arrangements.

Some time, we believe, a million dollar hotel constructed on one of the beautiful sites that abound in the country contiguous to Alexandria, would prove profitable, and besides be of no small advantage to the city. Golf links, tennis courts, polo grounds, bungalows, and all the adjuncts of the modern resorts, would attract the thousands from Washington who are compelled to remain in the nation's capital on business connected with the Government.

In the meantime, however, let us use our present facilities and take care of the frequent overflows from our suburb on the north.

An American Doughboy in France

By ELLIOTT F. HOFFMAN

(Historian of Alexandria Post, No. 24, American Legion.)

(For the Alexandria Gazette.)

Meuse-Argonne Offensive

(Continued.)

A rain storm, which had begun early in the morning, was at its height at day break and the mud was in many places over our shoe tops. This made it very difficult to get a good foothold preparatory to making the dash over the top. We could see the helmets of the enemy in the trenches just across the road from us—not more than 20 yards distant—and we then came to a realization of the fact that the impending battle was to be more bitterly fought than the one of the day before. And that was bitter enough, for our company lost 37 men, killed, gassed or wounded.

"At 5 a. m. we were to go over. Long before that hour we were "all set" for the struggle. The machine guns were to start a barrage at 4:5 a. m. and at the sound of the captain's whistle we were to advance. That is the time when a soldier of the line is likely to get a case of "quivering of the knees." One has time to realiez that a most horrible death is staring him in the face. A soldier would say (if he expressed his feeling on the subject) "if it must come let it come quickly," for the shot sent with deadly aim, or the flying shrapnel hitting its mark, was not to be dreaded in comparison with the thought of liquid fire, suffocating gas and those bayonets wielded by fiendish hands—any of which things could cause a frightful death. Believe me, friend reader, Sherman's definition of war is right and he knew nothing of gas and liquid fire at that.

Five o'clock came and the shrill sound of whistles—the captains' signals—echoed thro' the woods. Over we went. But not far, since the enemy began at once to charge our left with fixed bayonets, while hand to hand encounters ensued in the center and on our right. Gen. Pershing said in his report to the Secretary of War of this engagement: "Our 5th Corps took St. Juvin and in **hand to hand** encounters entered the formidable Kriemhilde line where the enemy hoped to check us indefinitely." We withdrew a few yards and with the aid of a machine gun battalion and our own hand grenades forced the enemy from their dugouts into the open woods. Then the battle was from behind trees while German snipers were firing at us from "nests" hidden in the trees. While our losses were extremly heavy, we had gained our objective before noon. This objective was only a quarter of a mile distant and here we paused long enough to reorganize squads during which time the artillery was moving up preparatory to a further advance at 2 p. m.

One incident at this time stands out. The writer was assigned as company stretcher bearer together with a nationally known comedian of musical comedy fame. As we lay hidden in the bushes waiting for the command to move forward, this fellow gave a rendition of that thread bare piece of poetry "The Killing of Dan M'Guire" by way of furnishing diversion. Shakespeare understood the necessity of lightening the weight of tragedy when he introduced buffoonery between his most tragic scenes. Thus did we relieve the tension of that period of waiting. Suddenly the command came to advance. The wire cutters had opened the barbed wire entanglements before us. Down a steep incline we rushed, halting for a few seconds to signal our artillery to raise the barrage which was bursting too near our own lines. As we rushed up the hill my friend, the comedian, had a premonition of disaster. He remarked that he felt he was going to get "humped." Almost instantly he fell wounded by a machine gun bullet. Another rifleman was then assigned to the stretcher and the two of us bore him back to the first aid station, and all the way there, as he lay on the stretcher, he kept repeating in his delirium "And her name was Lou."

(To be continued.)

LABOR MUST HELP

Just as the farmer, the manufacturer, the merchant and the banker have been forced to readjust their businesses to changed conditions—bearing large losses in the readjustment of inventories and values and operating at the present moment on a smaller margin or profit—so it is inevitable that the general wage scale of this country—inflated perhaps to a greater degree during the war than any other one element entering into our commercial structure—should be readjusted downward to a basis in keeping with general conditions.

It is illogical to assume that the entire burden of adjusting selling prices to post-war conditions can or should be borne by the merchant and manufacturer. Capital is being adjusted to the changed conditions and it is inevitable that labor must contribute its share toward the renewal o fcommercial activity.—Thomas B. McAdams in the Journal of the American Bankers Association.

IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CHAIR

(For the Gazette.)

Jackson served an apprecenticeship with a saddler.

Polk was the first "dark horse" to be elected president.

Fillmore was the only president who made no inaugural address.

Grant, Hayes, and Benjamin Harrison were the only bearded presidents.

Eighteen of the presidents were, at some time during their lives, in active military service.

William Henry Harrison was the head of the largest presidential family having six sons and four daughters.

Arthur was the handsomest man who ever occupied the presidential chair and was also regarded as the "best dresser."

Monroe abandoned the practice of law when a young man and was afterward and until his election as president always a public officer.

Jefferson and John Quincy Adams were elected by ballot of the house of representatives; neither gained a majority of electoral votes.

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Infants $1.50 white dresses, remnant price Thursday, each 98c
One lot misses' black and white hose, remnant price Thursday, each 25c
Women's 50c summer lisle vests, remnant price Thursday, each 35c
Women's $1.50 fibre and silk gray hose, remnant price Thursday, pair 79c
5c B. & A. embroidery silk, remnant price Thursday, 3 skeins for 5c
Children's 75c fiber sox, remnant price Thursday, pair 39c
50c infants white muslin caps, remnant price Thursday, each 39c
$1.50 silk comisoles, remnant price Thursday, each 79c
Women's 75c chamois gloves, remnant price Thursday, pair 25c
Children's $1.00 knit union suits with extra row of buttons, remnant price Thursday, suit .. 49c
$1.50 muslin underskirts, remnant price Thursday, each 98c
50c laundry bags, remnant price Thursday, each 35c
Ten dozen 10c small huck towels, remnant price Thursday, each 5c
Women's $1.50 pink union suits, remnant price Thursday, each 79c
Women's $1.50 crepe bloomers, remnant price Thursday, each 98c

49c to 75c children's pink bloomers, remnant price Thursday, each 39c
75c black and white slik gloves, remnant price Thursday, pair 39c
Children's 50c "Bear Brand" black hose, sizes 7 and 7 1-2 only, remnant price Thursday, pair .. 35c
Women's $2.50 pink nansook gowns, remnant price Thursday, each 98c
Women's $1.50 fancy crepe gowns, remnant price Thursday, each 79c
Children's $1.50 to $1.98 mull hats, remnant price Thursday, each 79c
Women's 69c white and pink nainsook gowns, remnant price Thursday, each 49c
Boy's 75c overalls, remnant price Thursday, pair 49c
98c gingham Polly Prim aprons, remnant price Thursday, each 69c
Children's $1.69 voile dresses, remnant price Thursday, each 79c
25c white and fancy routing cloth 36-inch wide, remnant price Thursday, yard 19c
$1.98 and $2.50 bathing suits, remnant price Thursday, suit $1.49
Women's $4.98 bathing suits, remnant price Thursday, suit $2.98
Misses' $3.98 bathing suits, remnant price Thursday, suit $2.25
200 yards all-wool navy blue French serge, one to four yard lengths, $2.50 value, remnant price Thursday, yard $1.50

Many Good Remnant Values For Men and Boys Thursday

One lot men's $1.50 and $2.00 V neck night robes, both long and shirt sleeves, remnant price, each $1.00
Small lot men's $2.50 white pajamas with short sleeves, remnant price Thursday, each .. $1.00
One lot E. & W. 25c and 35c soft collars, all sizes, remnant price Thursday, 6 for $1.00
All 25c Arrow soft and laundered collors, now each 20c
Men's $1.50 white sport shirts with short sleeves, remnant price Thursday, each $1.00
Men's white lisle under shirts and long drawers, $1.00 grade, remnant price Thursday, each .. 50c
15 dozen Vindex soft cuff shirts, $1.50 grade, all sizes, remnant price Thursday, each 95c
One lot $1.50 white and tan shirts with collors attached, all sizes, remnant price Thursday, each $1.15
About 5 dozen men's 50c fancy silk collars, remnant price Thursday, each 25c
One lot men's cotton work hose, remnant price Thursday, 8 pairs for $1.00
One lot men's fancy and plain color silk hose, $1.50 grade, remnant price Thursday, pair 75c

One lot Reas $1.00 Athletic under shirts and knee drawers, remnant price Thursday, each .. 50c
One lot $3.00 Metric shirts with collars attached, remnant price Thursday, each $2.25
One lot men's gray and bal union suits, $1.50 and $1.75 grade, remnant price Thursday, each .. 98c
One lot boy's $1.00 sport blouses, remnant price Thursday, each 69c
One lot boy's $1.50 white and colored sport shirts, remnant price Thursday, each 98c
One lot boy's 75c and $1.00 Athletic union suits, all sizes, remnant price Thursday, each .. 59c
One lot boy's $1.00 fancy neck band shirts, remnant price Thursday, each 69c
One lot boy's $1.50 khaki, plain blue, black satin and light fancy blouses, remnant price Thursday, each 69c
One lot boy's $1.75 khaki and blue one piece overalls, remnant price Thursday, each $1.00
Boy's $1.15 B. V. D. athletic union suits, remnant price Thursday, each 75c

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VIRGINIA.
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of August, 1921.

Charles P. Thomas, complainant, vs. Clara I. Thomas, defendant. In Chancery No. 1772.
MEMO.
The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Clara I. Thomas is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.
Colvin, Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
198-4wp Clerk.
By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

VIRGINIA.
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of August, 1921.
Cornelius H. Scott, complainant vs. Hattie P. Scott, defendant. In Chancery No. 1172.
MEMO.
The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Hattie P. Scott is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.
Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
187-4wp Clerk.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Clarence Robinson is visiting his parents in this city.

Samuel Lunt and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting relatives in this city.

Capt. Herman H. Pohl, U. S. A., is visiting his parents at their home in Rosemont Ave.

Mrs. George Newman, of Orange, Va., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cook, in Queen street.

Mrs. Arthur K. Warfield is visiting relatives at Highland Park, Richmond, Va., where she will spend a month.

Mrs. F. P. Curtis and little laughter have left the Alexandria Hospital for their home at Burke Station.

Miss Charlotte Tennyson has returned to her home in this city after a week in Atlantic City.

Mr. Robert S. Barrett, who recently returned from South America, left yesterday afternoon for New York where he will remain till December.

Many persons are now paying their city taxes. The time limit in order to save the 5 per cent discount expires September 1.

C. H. Pendleton and family have returned to their home in Prince street after a visit at Colorado Springs. They report a wonderful time.

Commonwealth's Attorney Howard W. Smith has returned rom Broad Run, Fauquier County, where he spent his vacation.

Mr. Frederick Dixon, of Braddock, was operated on yesterday by Dr. F. M. Dillard at the Alexandria Hospital and is reported as doing nicely.

The Southern Methodist and First Baptist Sunday School teams will play on Baggett's field this afternoon at 5:15 o'clock.

Mr. J. Robert Travers, delegate of the Alva Aerie, No. 871, of Eagles to the national convention in Newark, N. J., has returned to his home in this city.

Mount Vernon Council, Daughters of America, will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in their hall on North Pitt street. A full attendance is requested.

The Misses Francis E. and Ruth Shuman have returned to their home in Cameron street after spending the summer in Richmond, Ashland, and Seven Springs, Va.

Mr. Carl Dreifus, who has been spending a few days with his parents in this city, left this morning for Spring Grove, Pa., with which team he is playing ball this summer.

Downham and Ridgely are remodeling the interior of their handsome display windows in order to have everything in readiness for the autumn trade. This firm has purchased a big stock for the autumn.

Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison is in the city to conduct the funeral services of the late W. W. Ballenger and will lead the prayer meeting service at the Second Presbyterian Church this evening.

Mrs. Whitman Rathbone Smith and three children, formerly of this city, who have been spending the summer at Ocean City, N. J., have returned to their home aat Edmondton, Alberta, Canada.

It was announced today that the Trent Amalgam Company, who are building a plant for the purification of coal on the old Virginia Shipbuilding plant site, will begin operations in the course of the next two weeks.

Mr. Baron L. Parker, of Buffalo, N. Y., who was for some time during the World War stationed at Quantico, was in this city yesterday visiting friends. Mr. Parker was accompanied by Dr. Aldridge of Buffalo, and Dr. Blake, of New York, who are touring Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia with him.

Miss Gladys Gaines, daughter of J. F. Gaines, has gone to join her sister, Alice, who has been spending the summer at Duke's Park, near Somerville, N. J. Duke's Park is one of the many beautiful homes of J. B. Duke, the tobacco king. After a 2 weeks' visit she and her sister will join her aunt, Mrs. Lulu Smith, at Atlantic City and will remain over Labor Day.

Massachusetts Bares Sandwich Profiteers.

Boston, Aug. 23.—The cheese sandwich which retails for 10 cents in arm chair lunch rooms here costs about 2 3-4 cents to make, the State Commission on the Necessaries of Life reported today.

The ham sandwich which sells for 10 and 15 cents cost a nickel to manufacture, according to the same authority. Analysis showed the sandwiches to contain from 1-2 to 1 1-8 ounces of cheese, on an average and from 1 1-16 to 1 1-8 ounces of ham.

AUSTRIAN TREATY SIGNED IN VIENNA; BERLIN IS READY

Vienna, Aug. 24.—The treaty of peace with the United States was signed at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Negotiations for peace between the United States and Austria, as well as between the United States and Germany and Hungary, have been in progress for some time.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Dying and 25 to 35 Others Injured in Colorado

Grand Junction, Colo., Aug. 24.—Two persons are dead, two are injured as a result of a wreck on the Rio Grande and Western Railroad near Gale, Colo., early today. The dead are Douglas Armstrong, engineer, Grand Junction, Colo., and a man named Fairfield, believed to be a resident of California.

Oberlin Co-Ed Sets Type for Chicago's First Chinese Paper.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Shang Ming or "the Life," a Chinese weekly newspaper, made its appearance here today. The only other Chinese newspapers in the United States are in New York and San Francsico, according to H. C. Lenng, the editor.

Mrs. K. C. Mui, an Oberlin co-ed, set all the type by hand from a 15-foot case, which contains an abbreviated alphabet of only 4,000 characters instead of the entire 40,000.

BROKER UNDER CHARGES.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 24.—Lewis Burke head of the stock brokerage firm of Burke & Co., was arrested here tonight on two warrants charging embezzlement and larceny after trust, his alleged peculations said to have involved losses of $80,000.

Much Whiskey Shipped.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 24.—Whiskey valued at $10,000 and consigned to foreign ports, through the United States, left the Walkerville, Ontario, distilleries late yesterday for New Orleans, following a decision by Judge Tuttle in United States district court here that federal officials can not interfere with such shipments.

Judge Tuttle's order was a permanent injunction granted Hiram Walker & Sons, distillers, restraining customs collectors from interference with shipments of liquor destined for export. Judge Tuttle held that the Volstead act did not abrogate the treaty of 1871 between the United States and Great Britain.

HOTEL RAMMEL
Business Men's Lunch, 75c

Summer Specials Prices Opposite
Combination Salad 10c
Pickle Beets 10c
Soup
Vegetable 15c, Cream of Potato 15c
Baked Sea Trout 35c, Roast Beef 35c
Old Va. Lamb Pot Pie 35c
Cold Ham or Tongue and Potato Salad 35c
Green Corn 10c, Mashed Potatoes 10c
String Beans 10c
Pie
Apple, 10c Peach, 10c
Pineapple Ice and Cake, 10c
Watermelon, 15c
Milk, 10c Tea, 10c Coffee, 10c
(Hot or Iced)

THREE SAILORS HELD FOR ALLEGED MUTINY

New York, Aug. 23.—Two watertenders and a fireman, one of them a negro, from the steamship Allianca, which arrived here today from Cristobal, were held in $1,000 bail by United States Commissioner Stanton in Hoboken on charges of threatening the ships' officers and inciting to mutiny.

The Allianca arrived with 20 Marines on board, transferred at sea from the battleship Connecticut at the request of Capt. James Stones, who feared open mutiny among the crew, which he said had been disorderly a large part of the voyage.

Capt. Stone testified that the trouble arose from a feud between the negroes and white men in the crew and gave a long account of assaults and disorders, for which he held liquor largely responsible. The three men held, he said, were the most violent.

MUDERER OF TWO EXECUTED

George H. Brandon Electrocuted at Trenton, N. J.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 23.—George H. Brandon was electrocuted shortly before 10 o'clock tonight in the State's prison here for the murder of Miss Edith Janny and her fiance, Arthur L. Kupper, in Rahway the night of August 21, 1918.

The slayer's march to the death chair was the climax of a three years' fight by his wife to prove his innocence. She made a final but unsuccessful effort to see Governor Edwards late today as he left his Jersey City office.

BLUE "GREENBACKS" BAD IS TREASURY WARNING

Washington, Aug. 23.—The Treasury today warned of the circulation of four new counterfeit Federal Reserve notes.

The counterfeits include a $50 note on the New York Federal Reserve Bank, a $20 note on the Chicago Bank, a $10 note on the Kansas City Bank, and a $5 note on the Chicago Bank. The first two were said to be distinguished by blue instead of green backs, and the latter two by the poor quality of the paper.

10-GALLON STILL FOUND IN BASEMENT OF SCHOOLHOUSE

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 23.—An improvised moonshine still in operation and more than 60 gallons of mash were found in the basement of a school building here last night by the police.

The boiler, or "cooker," was a 10-gallon fire extinguisher from which a copper coil led to a granite kettle. The boiler was filled with mash, police said, and over 50 gallons more were discovered elsewhere in the basement. No arrests were made.

DEVICE TO FIRE TORPEDO AT INDIRECT TARGET IS PERFECTED

New York, Aug. 23.—A new system of torpedo fire control, by which the firing of torpedoes in a curved course is automatically controlled, has been perfected by John Hays Hammond, Jr., he announced today.

By means of this system, he said, a battleship or submarine could fire a torpedo at a target in any direction without changing the course of the vessel. Submarines equipped with the system could attack two targets at the same time.

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SNAP SHOTS FROM THE HOWE-VAN AMBURG CIRCUS

What would a circus be without monkeys. They are almost as necessary as elephants. The combined Howe's Great London Circus and Van Amburg's trained wild animals which will exhibit in Alexandria on August 30, giving two shows, at 2 and 8 p. m., has quite a large collection of these little animals.

The little fellows with the human faces are generally sickly. Especially early in the season or in the fall they are subject to consumption or attacks of pneumonia. The management of these combined shows has discovered a peculiar method of protecting the lives of his happy family. A common porker is used.

Whenever the weather changes to rainy or chilly and sudden changes become the rule, just before the monkey cage is loaded on the train at night a healthy pig weighing about two hundred pounds is placed in the cage to keep the monkeys company during the night. When the cage is opened the next morning, if the weather is damp or cool, the pig will be found to be entirely covered with the bodies of the little fellows. The animal heat of the pig has saved the lives of scores of monkeys for the show.

ALEXANDRIA'S BEST STORE

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Tomorrow is HOSIERY DAY

"At Alexandria's Best Store"

While there are but six items advertised in this sale, these six are only the biggest values in hosiery to be found here tomorrow.

In this department there will be dozens of money-saving opportunities for women, misses and children and all are urged to come early and share alike.

One lot of women's plain and fancy Grove Silk Hose, the famous Mohawk brand, in all the wanted shades, regular $3.49 values--

$3.19
A PAIR

Women's Prue Thread Silk Hose, wonderful values in all the wanted shades. a chance of a season—Pair

$1.39

Women's Good Quality Lisle Hose in black and white, very specially priced for tomorrow—A PAIR

49c

Children's Hose Specials

Children's plain and fancy top socks, the kind that sold regularly to 59c, tomorrow 39c

Children's plain and fancy top socks, to 39c values, a pair 25c

Children's plain color socks, to 29c values, tomorrow, pair 17c

Tired and Nervous—from the Lack of Sleep? Do You Know the Reason Why?

Sleep time is the time when the reconstructive processes in your body are busiest—turning food into blood, and nerve tissue, and living cells.

That's the reason why lack of sleep makes you irritable, inefficient and nervous; and why you lack "punch" when you don't get a proper amount of the right kind of sleep.

It has been the experience of many that the cup of tea or coffee, taken at meal-time, robs them of sleep.

In Gould and Pyle's Cyclopedia of Medicine and Surgery you'll find that "caffein is a rapidly acting stimulant to the brain and spinal cord, quickens the action of the heart, and raises blood pressure."

This makes it a very good medicine if prescribed by a doctor for cases of collapse, when a patient needs to have his system abnormally forced into activity. But caffeine is not good for people whose systems don't need to be drugged.

So if you don't get your proper sleep at night, it may be because you are being kept awake by tea or coffee.

Stop tea and coffee for awhile and drink Postum—the delicious cereal beverage.

Postum is a pure cereal product, and contains no harmful element whatsoever. Your first taste of Postum will surprise and please you. Many people prefer the flavor of Postum to that of coffee.

Order Postum from your grocer today. Drink this hot, refreshing beverage in place of tea or coffee for ten days, and see what a wonderful difference it will make in the way you feel.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
Commercial and Political

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 24, 1813.

PENINSULAR WAR.

Madrid, July 5, 1813.

A deputation from the Cortes waited upon the British Ambassador and congratulated him on the defeat of the French. The Cortes have ordered medals to be struck and a monument to be erected in honor of the victory; and have unanimously voted an estate to Lord Wellington.

EDITORIAL.

The period is approaching when it is probable the Britsih will be in the Potomac again; we may therefore prepare for another alarm in a few days . . . . . We ask if it would not be far more economical to take the old hulks from the Navy Yard and sink them in the Potomac where the channel is narrow, and at the same time so near the shore as to prevent the enemy raising them. These hulks can be raised again by us, should it ever happen in the course of events, that commerce might be resumed in the Potomac.

State News

(Continued from page one.)

ley and J. E. Williamson, two white men who at 10 o'clock this morning were found hiding in some woods bordering the Richmond division tracks of the Southern Railway, both, it is charged alighting from a freight train from Richmond as it reached the outskirts of the city. The authorities have reason to believe that the two men may be implicated in the murder at Richmond early yesterday morning of Patrolman Washington I. Curtis, who was shot down by an unidentified man. That this is the real reason for holding the men became apparent when detailed descriptions of both of them were sent by wire to Richmond soon after they had reached the court house in an automobile.

Charlottesville.—The board of visitors of the University of Virginia has announced the award of the Thomas Fortune Ryan scholarships to the following young men, one from each of the ten congressional districts in Virginia:

First district—Thomas Lyttleton Cockrell, of Reedville.
Second district—Harry Carlyle Monroe, of Portsmouth.
Third district—Johnson Barbour Christian, of Hanover.
Fourth district—Raymond Bennett Pinchbeck, of Chula.
Fifth district—Charlie Hugh Allman, of Glade Hill.
Sixth district — Vasco Roosevelt Parrack, of Roanoke.
Seventh district—Raymond Lavillon Jackson, of Keswick.
Eighth district—Leslie Davis Dawson, of Woodbridge.
Ninth district—Walter Murrell Elswick, of Coaldon.
Tenth district — John Sumpter Cunningham, of Basic.

Smoke Was From Still As Firemen Discovered.

Tamaqua, Pa., Aug. 23.—When firemen reached the home of Mrs. Rose Yuscavage on Elm street in answer to an alarm, they were met at the door by the woman who turned a stream of water from a garden hose on the firemen in an effort to keep them from entering the smoke-filled building.

When entrance was effected it was found the flames emanated from an oil stove in the cellar used in connection with a private distillery. Large quantities of incriminating evidence were found, including several large vats, copper coils, a number of jugs filled with home-brewed whisky and four barrels of rye in soak. Mrs. Yuscavage was held under $1,000 bail for September court.

SEPARATE TREATY WITH HUNGARY UNDER WAY

Budapest, Hungary, Aug. 23.—Negotiations for a separate peace treaty between Hungary and the United States have been begun, Foreign Minister Banffy announced today. Grant Smith, American High Commissioner in Budapest, is acting for the United States.

30,000,000 RUSSIANS THREATENED, IS BELIEF

Riga, Aug. 23.—The number of peasants threatened with starvation in the Volga region is now placed at 30,000,000 by a Moscow wireless dispatch. Of this number 9,500,000 are children.

Several instances of hungering families committing suicide in groups are reported from Tartar villages, where, according to the dispatch, the peasants seal up rooms, light fires in the stoves, close up chimneys and await asphyxiation.

Moscow announces that in the government of Stavropol and in the Tartar republic government the situation is becoming very serious and threatens to become even worse than that in the Volga region. Stavropol needs 30,000,000 pounds of grain to feed the people and has less than 4,000,000, while the Tartar governments which need nearly 34,000,000, have less than 5,000,000.

Big Chief Neptune Seeks His Lost Land.

Boston, Aug. 23.—Chief William Neptune, of the Passamaquoddy Indians, today asserted that the state of Maine had sold land granted the tribe at Princeton, Me., when the Pine Tree State was a part of Massachusetts. Searching the records at the State House for copies of the deed of the land in 1795 to his forefathers, he declared he wanted only the return of the property and no money equivalent.

Fifty-two lots already have been taken from the tribe, Chief Neptune said, adding that they were sold to white men at $1 an acre and that this had seriously diminished the size of the Passamoquoddy reservation. If he finds that the tribe has been unlawfully dispossessed of the property legal proceedings will be started, the chief said.

Finds Veterans' Hospital Reports Exaggerated.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Reports of conditions at the Johnson City (Tenn.) sanatorium for disabled war veterans in many instances have been "grossly exaggerated," Charles M. Pearsall, inspector-general for the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, has reported to the board of managers, under whose auspices the sanatorium is operated.

Mr. Pearsall's report of a personal investigation, made public today by Representative Anthony, Republican, Kansas, said "there was a strong feeling and resentment by the men because of the abuse which had been placed on the sanatorium as a whole, which would indicate to their families that every man there was either drinking or taking drugs."

"The men admitted," the report continued, "that a small number of the men would get drunk, or drink, disregard their rest hours and treatment and there were a few drug addicts who were being treated in the hospital, but stated it was a very small percentage, and they felt that they should not be humiliated by being classed with this small number of men, no larger in percentage than would be found in other hospitals or of a like number in civil life. The further my investigations led and the more contact I got with the men thoroughly convinced me that the men had the right picture of conditions."

Heiress' Marriage Approved By Father.

New York, Aug. 23.—"Father knows and father approves of my little sister's marriage," Miss Alice Beavor Webb announced today, commenting upon the marriage in Chicago of Miss Edith Beavor Webb to George Miles, a horseman in the stables of Benjamin Behr.

News of the Chicago wedding caused more excitement in society here than the shock that came when the bride's elder sister, Louise, eloped and was married to a mounted policeman, Thomas J. Leonard, whom she had met on her daily rides through the parks.

"Mr. George Miles is a very estimable young man," continued Miss Alice. "The stories from Chicago refer to him as a groom. We do not look upon him as a common stable groom. He is a professional horseman."

The Webb amily stands very high in Eastern society. Mr. Webb was a close rfiend of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, who willed him $250,000 as a mark of his esteem. The family is connected with Charles de L. Oelrichs, Mrs. William Jay and Mrs. Carolyn Kane.

Mr. Webb was terribly disappointed when his eldest daughter married a policeman and retired to his yacht to recover from the shock. Thereafter he concentrated on Edith, the second daughter. She was an aristocrat to her finger tips, more beautiful than Louise and extremely popular. She had her choice of titles or wealth of brains. Moreover, she was level-headed and discouraged men. She was happiest when winning blue ribbons at horse shows, but eventually she went her elder sister one better by acquiring a groom in more than one sense of the word, and Gotham society again is mightily shocked.

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	New York-Jacksonville	
3.35 a. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	11.30 p. m.
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7.57 a. m.	(Local)	11.52 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9.32 a. m. ..	(S. A. L.) ..	9.00 p. m.
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	Washington-Richmond	
11.47 a. m. ..	(Express) ..	2.18 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
3.07 p. m. ...	(Local) ...	8.09 a. m.
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1.32 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	3.10 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m. ...	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m. ...	(Local)	*5.52 p. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8.17 p. m. ..	(S. A. L.) ..	8.28 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg New York-Florida	
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	Richmond-Washington	
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In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

Julia Hannoe, complainant, vs. Joseph Brewer, et als., defendants. In Chancery, No. 554.

Pursuant to and by authority of a decree entered on the 5th day of August, 1920, in a certain suit in chancery pending in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, wherein Julia Hannoe is complainant and Joseph Brewer et als., are defendants, the undersigned will expose for sale at public auction on Tuesday, the 23rd day of August, 1921, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the west entrance to the City Hall Building, on North Royal Street, Alexandria City, Virginia, all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Wolfe Street with the east side of Fairfax Street, and running east on Wolfe street thirty four (34) feet five (5) inches, thence south parallel to Fairfax Street eighty-six (86) feet six (6) inches to an alley ten (10) feet wide; thence west on said alley thirty-four (34) feet five (5) inches to Fairfax Street; thence north on Fairfax Street eighty-six (86) feet six (6) inches to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

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Mitchell discovered a bundle of securities and money in a shipment of books and other goods received from a suburban notary. The man was notied and at his request the institution was held open an extra half hour until he could send for the securities. His wife called for them and left Mitchell a brand new dollar bill.

Stillman Estate At Brownsville Sold.

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 23.—With the filing of deeds today conveying the entire Stillman property here to Homer L. Fitch, of Brownsville, the Stillman family, of New York, closed out holdings acquired by the late Charles Stillman in the eighteen-thirties and which at one time included all of what is now Brownsville.

The vendor is the New York and Brownsville Improvement Company, which is controlled by James A. Stillman, former president of the National City Bank of New York and grandson of Charles Stillman.

According to the deeds, $325,000 was paid for the property, which is estimated to be worth $1,250,000. It includes 1,400 city blocks and 900 acres, all within the city limits, and comprises half of the city.

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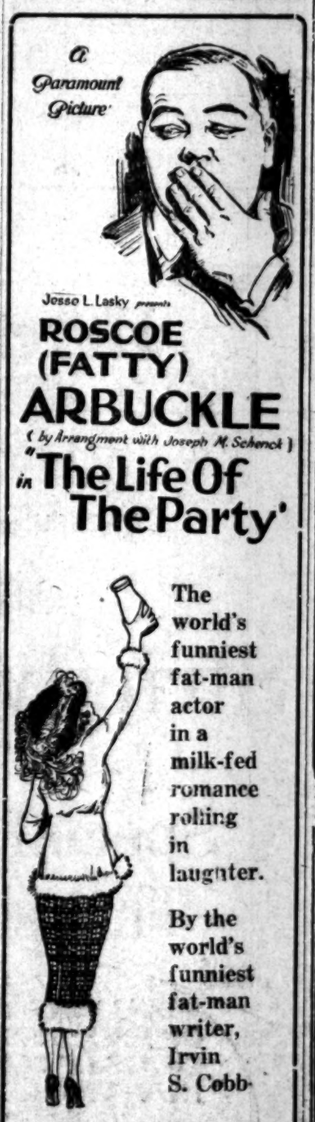
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SPORTS

Sunday the Triangle Sport Club took the first game of a series of three to decide the championship of Alexandria, Va., by the score of 18 to 16 in a 15 inning contest. The score was loose but the game was exciting and interesting..

The manager of the T. S. C. has also signed up two new pitchers which will be used in the coming contests. Sunday the T. S. C. meets the Tiger aggregation on the H. S. at 1 o'clock. This game promises to be tight and interesting as there is much rivalry between the two.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	72	45	615
New York	70	44	614
Washington	64	56	533
St. Louis	58	60	492
Boston	55	60	478
Detriot	57	64	471
Chicago	50	67	427
Philadelphia	43	73	371

National League.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburgh	76	41	650
New York	70	50	583
Boston	65	49	570
Brooklyn	62	58	517
St. Louis	39	57	509
Cincinnati	53	65	429
Chicago	47	70	402
Philadelphia	38	80	322

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Detroit 12, Washington 3.
Boston 15, St. Louis 2.
New York 6, Cleveland 1.
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5.

National League.
St. Louis 10, New York 7.
Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 2.
Boston 5, Pittsburgh 3.
Philadelphia 1, Chicago 0.

GAMES TODAY.

American League.
Washington at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at St. Louis.

National League.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.

SCHOOL SAVINGS IMPROVE

School savings materially improved in the school year 1920-1921, according to gures taken from the forthcoming preliminary report to be issued by the Savings Bank Division of the American Bankers Association. The total enrollment last year was 1,479,567, as compared with 1,015,563 in the preceding year, while gross collections last year were $3,475,867.96, a comfortable advance over the $2,800,301.18 reported the year before. Cities reporting to date numbered 236, in which there are 2,630 school buildings. The total participating pupils was $5.22. The aver-666,478. The average saving of participating pupils was -5.22. The average net deposit at the end of the year after all cash withdrawals was $3.13 for each participating pupil.

NEAR EAST RELIEF.

RICHMOND, Aug. 23.—The Queen of Greece, through the solicitation of Mrs. Warren G. Harding, has sent her check for 1,000 francs to the American Near East Relief, it was announced today by Oliver J. Sands, prominent Richmond banker who is state chairman for Virginia of that organization.

This is the second contribution of the Greek queen to the work of caring for the orphans and other Greek and Armenian war and starvation sufferers in the Levant, who are dependent on the Near East Relief, Mr. Sands was informed by national headquarters in New York.

The Greek queen declared, in her letter forwarding the donation, that while recently in Salonica she had witnessed some of the excellent results achieved there by the American Near East Relief in relieving suffering humanity, and expressed much sympathy with the methods used. Her Majesty expressed the hope that this greatly needed work might continue to fulfil its mission.

SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE

(For the Gazette.)

Frederick H. Gillette, Republican, of Springfield, Mass., is speaker of the house of representatives in this, the sixty-seventh congress.

James K. Polk was the only speaker of the house who became president of the United States.

Since the death of the late Champ Clark of Missouri there are only two living former speakers, Joseph G. Cannon of Danville, Ill., and Joseph W. Kiefer, of Springfield, Ohio. Kiefer was speaker of the forty-seventh congress, 1881-83.

Iowa and Missouri are the only states west of the Mississippi River that have furnished speakers of the national house.

Thirty-five men have wielded the gavel in the national house. F. A. Muhlenburg of Pennsylvania was speaker in the first house.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon, still a member of the house, was speaker during four sessions of congress, 1903 to 1911. He is now eighty-five years of age.

The days of so-called "czarism" on the part of the speaker ended during Cannon's tenure of office, when the speaker's power was shorn after a bitter fight which took from him much of his ability to control the house by minimizing his power in the naming of committees.

Henry Clay, James G. Blaine, Thomas B. Reed and Champ Clark were notable speakers who were ambitious to become president, but none of them was successful in his desire.

Massachusetts has furnished more speakers—five—than any other state. Kentucky and Virginia have furnished four each; Pennsylvania and Indiana three each; New Jersey, South Carolina, Tennessee and Maine two each, and Connecticut, North Carolina, New York, Georgia, Illinois, Ohio, Iowa and Missouri one each.

Gossip of Royalty.

Queen Sophia of Greece is reported to have become a convert to woman sugrage.

A slab of solid gold, engraved, was the railway ticket presented by the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Prince of Wales during his tour of Canada.

Queen Elizabeth of England had a red nose and was much ashamed of it. She always took pains to have it well powdered before making her appearance on a state occasion.

King Alfonso of Spain is an ardent "movie fan." Sometimes when a big picture is running in Madrid he may be seen waiting like an ordinary individual in the line at the box office.

Patricia, Countess of Cottenham, England, a Diana of the hunting field, is the daughter of the late John Humphrey Barke of Los Angeles. She is the widow of the fourth Earl of Cottenham. She is a noted beauty.

King George V of England, former Emperor William of Germany, the queen of Rumania and the queen of Spain are first cousins, all being grandchildren of former Queen Victoria of England. King George of England and the late czar of Russia were also first cousins. The king of Spain is a cousin of the Hapsburgs of Austria.

The total area of King George V's doman, the British Empire, is 11,400,000 miles, with an estimated population of 410,900,000.

The India Empire extends over a territory larger than the continent of Europe without Russia. Legally, British India means all territories governed by George V through the governor-general of India or any of the latter's subordinates.

France has a larger foreign, or noncitizen, population than any other European country. Recent figures estimated the foreign population at about 1,500,000.

WORTH MEMORIZING

He who does not love his labor and does not put interest or dignity into it is a bad workman.—Charles Wagner.

Attempt the end and never stand in doubt. Nothing's so hard, but search will find it out.—Herrick.

A good book is the precious life blood of a master spirit, embalmed and treasured up on purpose to a life beyond life.—Milton.

Immodest words admit of no defense; for want of decency is want of sense.—Earl of Roscommon.

Joy and Temperance and Repose slam the door on the doctor's nose.—Longellow's translation of F. Von Logan.

What is worth doing is worth doing well; and with a little more trouble at first, much trouble afterwards may be avoided.—Max Muller.

AUCTION SALE

By virtue of a deed of trust dated August 11th, 1919, executed by Goodman Rubin et als. to the undersigned trustee recorded in Liber 68, page 523, of the land records of the city of Alexandria and given to secure the payment of certain notes therein described, default having been made in the payment of one of the said notes, the undersigned trustee, will at the request of the holder of said notes, offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building at TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON on Saturday, September 3rd, 1921, the property known as No. 505 Wolfe street, Alexandria, Va., and bounded and described in said deed of trust as follows:—

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NOTICE TRIPLE A MEMBERS

There will be a special meeting at our new hall, 507 King street, 3rd floor, Wednesday, 8 p. m. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance will be discussed.

W. J. Monahan, Sect'y.

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Judges and senates have been bought for gold; esteem and love are never to be sold.—Pope.

History is, indeed, little more than the register of crimes, follies and misfortunes of mankind.—Gibbon.

An idler is a watch that wants both hands; as useless if it goes as if it stands.—Cowper.

Of all the griefs that harass the distressed, sure the most bitter is the scornful jest.—Johnson.

COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE

Once an Arab girl is married, she never leaves her house again .

Among the Arabs, the wife walks behind the husband.

In Japanese marriages the ceremony is performed at the home of the bridegroom.

In bygone days in India, women were sometimes allowed to choose their own husbands.

Wedding gifts for dowerless brides are presented by the authorities of several towns in England.

In north Transylvania a young peasant woman may give a particular swain a tip that he is the "apple of her eye" by going with him in his cart at the time of the haryesting of the oats to help him carry in his crop.

The war has left Letvia with a surplus of women, and husbands are scarce and expensive. Under the Lettish custom, a bride must bring her husband a dower in keeping with the social position of her own family and that of her husband.

In Siam a declaration of marriage is very simple. It is considered a proposal merely to offer a lady a ower, or to take a light rom a cigarette if she is holding it in her mouth, so that even the most timid youths need not fear the ordeal.

In practically every civilized country the wedding ring is regarded as essential to the legal performance of a marriage ceremony.

The Spanish bride to be has a horror of Tuesday as a wedding day. In fact, Tuesday is regarded by the Spanish as unlucky in every event and a Tuesday marriage in Spain is a most rare occurrence.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Inc., will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock a. m., on the 6th day of September, 1921, at which time officers and directors will be elected, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

JAY P. FELT,
Secretary.

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WOMEN WHO OVERWORK

"Man may work from sun to sun, but woman's work is never done." In order to keep the home neat and attractive, the children well dressed and tidy, women continually overdo and suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they need help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine with specific value which overcomes many of the worst forms of female complaints, as the letters constantly being published in this paper will prove.

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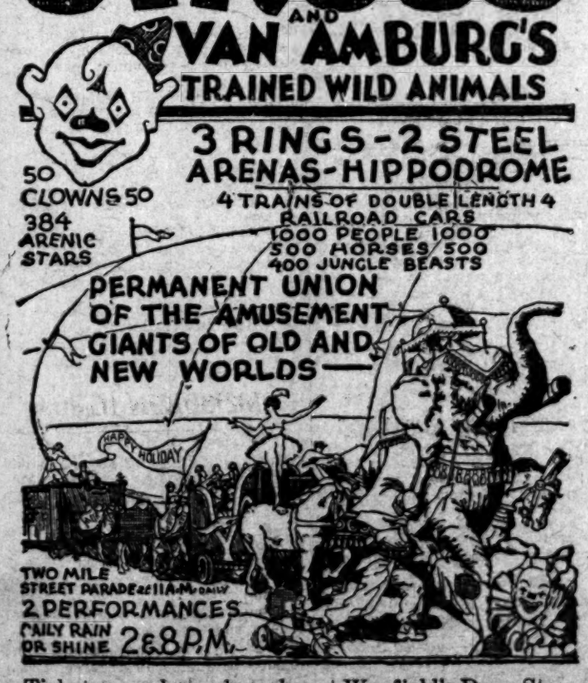
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